

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listing of claims in the application:

**LISTING OF CLAIMS:**

Claim 1 (Currently amended) A pocket knife with a lock design, comprising a handle (10), a chamber (13), a blade (20), a safety lock (30), and a resilient pin (40); wherein

the handle (10) is composed of a first handle half (11) and a second half (12);

the chamber (13) is defined by the space between the first half (11) and the second half (12);

the blade (20) is pivotally ~~receivable in~~ coupled to the handle (10) by a pivot joint (15), ~~having and has a cutting edge (21)~~, a shoulder (23) at the end of the cutting edge (21), a guiding edge (24) on the lateral side of the shoulder (23) adjacent to the cutting edge (21), a driving edge (25) on the other side far away from cutting edge (21) and perpendicular to ~~the an~~ axis of the blade (20), and a pin catch (26) on the side wall of driving edge (25);

the safety lock (30) is secured inside the chamber (13) with one end fixed inside the handle (10), ~~having and has~~ a push plate (31) with a raised head for engaging the shoulder (23) at the end of the blade (20) to move the blade (20) into

an open position; and

the resilient pin (40) is secured in the chamber (13) of the handle (10), with one end having a gap (41) formed therein and being fixed on the handle (10) and the other end being pressed against the shoulder (23) of the blade (20), the handle (10) having a holding block (14) in the chamber (13) displaced from the pivot joint (15) for holding the resilient pin (40) firmly in place, the resilient pin (40) being placed at a base of the handle (10), and the handle (10) having a through hole formed therein for holding a stopper rod (17) to fix a base of the resilient pin (40) inside the handle (10).

Claim 2 (Cancelled).

Claim 3 (Currently amended) The pocket knife as claimed in claim [[2]]  
1, wherein the guiding edge (24) holding block (14) in the chamber (13) of the handle (10) is formed by two long blocks juxtaposedly disposed in the handle (10), and a space defined between the long blocks forms a channel (16) for keeping the resilient pin (40) in position.

Claim 4 (Currently amended) The pocket knife as claimed in claim [[2]]  
1, wherein the holding block (14) in the chamber (13) of the handle (10) is formed by multiple blocks in two rows, alternately positioned, and a space defined

between the long blocks forms a channel (16) for keeping the resilient pin (40) in position.

Claims 5 - 7 (Cancelled).

Claim 8 (Currently amended) The pocket knife as claimed in claim [[2]] 1, wherein ~~the resilient pin (40) is formed at a base of handle (10), the resilient pin having a gap (41), and the first half (11) and second half (12) respectively having have~~ through holes (111, 112) and screw holes for receiving screws to fix ~~a~~ the base of the resilient pin (40) inside the handle (10).

Claim 9 (Currently amended) The pocket knife as claimed in claim 3, wherein ~~the resilient pin (40) is formed at a base of handle (10), the resilient pin having a gap (41), and the first half (11) and second half (12) respectively having have~~ through holes (111, 112) and screw holes for receiving screws to fix ~~a~~ the base of the resilient pin (40) inside the handle (10).

Claim 10 (Currently amended) The pocket knife as claimed in claim 4, wherein ~~the resilient pin (40) is formed at a base of handle (10), the resilient pin having a gap (41), and the first half (11) and second half (12) respectively having have~~ through holes (111, 112) and screw holes for receiving screws to fix ~~a~~ the

base of the resilient pin (40) inside the handle (10).

Claims 11 - 16 (Cancelled).

Claim 17 (Currently amended) The pocket knife as claimed in claim [[14]] 1, wherein the base of the resilient pin (40) ~~forms~~ has a large diameter base portion at one end of the resilient pin, and a back end of the handle (10) has a supporting pipe (19) having a smaller diameter inner section (191) and a larger diameter outer section (192), where the outer section (192) of the supporting pipe (19) has screw threads on the inner edge matching the outer edge of the resilient pin (40) having a large diameter base, and the inner section (191) of the supporting pipe (19) corresponds with the outer diameter of the resilient pin (40), such that resilient pin (40) can be inserted into the handle (10) through the inner section (191) of the supporting pipe (19), and the base of the resilient pin (40) is pressed against the supporting pipe (19), and a screw is inserted into the outer section (192) of the supporting pipe (19) for fixing the base of the resilient pin (40) inside the handle (10).

Claim 18 (Currently amended) The pocket knife as claimed in claim [[15]] 3, wherein the base of the resilient pin (40) ~~forms~~ has a large diameter base portion at one end of the resilient pin, and a back end of the handle (10) has a

supporting pipe (19) having a smaller diameter inner section (191) and a larger diameter outer section (192), where the outer section (192) of the supporting pipe (19) has screw threads on the inner edge matching the outer edge of the resilient pin (40) having a large diameter base, and the inner section (191) of the supporting pipe (19) corresponds with the outer diameter of the resilient pin (40), such that resilient pin (40) can be inserted into the handle (10) through the inner section (191) of the supporting pipe (19), and the base of the resilient pin (40) is pressed against the supporting pipe (19), and a screw is inserted into the outer section (192) of the supporting pipe (19) for fixing the base of the resilient pin (40) inside the handle (10).

Claim 19 (Currently amended) The pocket knife as claimed in claim [[16]] 4, wherein the base of the resilient pin (40) ~~forms~~ has a large diameter base portion at one end, and a back end of the handle (10) has a supporting pipe (19) having a smaller diameter inner section (191) and a larger diameter outer section (192), where the outer section (192) of the supporting pipe (19) has screw threads on the inner edge matching the outer edge of the resilient pin (40) having a large diameter base, and the inner section (191) of the supporting pipe (19) corresponds with the outer diameter of the resilient pin (40), such that resilient pin (40) can be inserted into the handle (10) through the inner section (191) of the supporting pipe (19), and the base of the resilient pin (40) is pressed against the supporting pipe

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(19), and a screw is inserted into the outer section (192) of the supporting pipe (19) for fixing the base of the resilient pin (40) inside the handle (10).